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In Re: Implementation of the Federal Communication Commission's Triennial Review Order - 9 Month Proceeding - Hot Cuts; Docket No. 03-00526

Consumer Advocate's Notice of Participation

Dear Chairman Tate:

Pursuant to the *Notice of Filing* issued by the Hearing Officer in the above-styled matter on October 8, 2003, please accept this letter as notice that the Consumer Advocate and Protection Division intends to participate in Docket No. 03-00526 regarding hot cuts.

Do not hesitate to contact us with any questions or further requests.

Sincerely,

JOE SHIRLEY

Assistant Attorney General

cc: Hon. Sara Kyle, Director as Hearing Officer Parties of Record in Docket No. 03-00491